## Official Minutes for Webb County Commissioners Court Special Meeting

Friday, April 4, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. (APPROVED APRIL 23, 2007)

Call to order by Judge Danny Valdez

Let it be remembered that a special meeting of the Webb County Commissioners Court was held at 10:00 a.m. at the regular meeting place with the following members present to wit:

Danny Valdez County Judge
Frank Sciaraffa Commissioner, Pct. 1
Rosaura "Wawi" Tijerina
Jerry Garza Commissioner, Pct. 3
Sergio "Keko" Martinez Commissioner, Pct. 4

Thus constituting a quorum, the Commissioners Court proceeded to act upon the Agenda as posted in the meeting notice of the 30<sup>th</sup> of March 2007. Present also were Mrs. Imelda Diaz, Deputy County Clerk representing Mrs. Margie Ramirez Ibarra, Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court, various officers and others interested in the business of the Court

- Item No. 1. ROLL CALL BY HONORABLE MARGIE RAMIREZ-IBARRA, WEBB COUNTY CLERK
- Item No. 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- Item No. 3. Discussion and Possible Action to interview and/or evaluate applicants for the position of Webb County Public Information Officer; to appoint a Public Information Officer; and to take other action incident thereto. [EXECUTIVE SESSION is requested pursuant to Texas Government Code, Title 5, Subchapter D, Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney) and 551.074 (Personnel Matters)]

Cmr. Tijerina motioned to go into Executive Session. Cmr. Garza seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0 by unanimous consent.

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION (10:05 A.M. – 2:40 P.M.)**

Judge Valdez stated that no action was taken in executive session.

Cmr. Garza thanked all the applicants and stated that all applicants that interviewed were qualified. Cmr. Garza motioned to appoint Larry Sanchez as Public Information Officer. Cmr. Sciaraffa seconded the motion.

Motion carried 4-1 with Cmr. Martinez voting against.

Cmr. Martinez asked what the position was budgeted for. Mr. Homero Ramirez, County Attorney, advised the Court that the position was currently posted at a \$50,000.00 annual salary with no rate increase to take effect with the raise increment that was previously approved by the Commissioner's Court.

Cmr. Garza motioned to have the Public Information Officer set at what was budgeted for. Cmr. Sciaraffa seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0 by unanimous consent.

Item No. 4. Adjournment

Cmr. Tijerina motioned to adjourn meeting. Cmr. Sciaraffa seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0 by unanimous consent.